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- (i) Surety bond;
- (ii) Fidelity bond;
- (iii) Life insurance;
- (iv) Health insurance;
- (v) Long term care insurance;
- (vi) Title insurance:
- (vii) Property and casualty insurance:

(viii) Annuity;

- (ix) Disability insurance;
- (x) Insurance against default on individual residential mortgages; and
- (xi) Reinsurance of any of the foregoing products identified in paragraphs (i) through (x) of this section.
- (b) The terms security-based swap as used in section 3(a)(68) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(68)) and swap as used in section 3(a)(69) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(69)) do not include an agreement, contract, or transaction that was entered into on or before the effective date of this section and that, at such time that it was entered into, was provided in accordance with the conditions set forth in paragraph (a)(2) of this section.

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§ 240.3a69-2 Definition of "swap" as used in section 3(a)(69) of the Act additional products.

- (a) In general. The term swap has the meaning set forth in section 3(a)(69) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(69)).
- (b) Inclusion of particular products. (1) The term swap includes, without limiting the meaning set forth in section 3(a)(69) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(69)), the following agreements, contracts, and transactions:
 - (i) A cross-currency swap;
- (ii) A currency option, foreign currency option, foreign exchange option and foreign exchange rate option;
 - (iii) A foreign exchange forward:
 - (iv) A foreign exchange swap;
 - (v) A forward rate agreement; and
- (vi) A non-deliverable forward involving foreign exchange.
- (2) The term swap does not include an agreement, contract, or transaction described in paragraph (b)(1) of this section that is otherwise excluded by section 1a(47)(B) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(47)(B)).
- (c) Foreign exchange forwards and foreign exchange swaps. Notwithstanding paragraph (b)(2) of this section:

- (1) A foreign exchange forward or a foreign exchange swap shall not be considered a swap if the Secretary of the Treasury makes a determination described in section 1a(47)(E)(i) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(47)(E)(i)).
- (2) Notwithstanding paragraph (c)(1) of this section:
- (i) The reporting requirements set forth in section 4r of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 6r) and regulations promulgated thereunder shall apply to a foreign exchange forward or foreign exchange swap; and
- (ii) The business conduct standards set forth in section 4s(h) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 6s) and regulations promulgated thereunder shall apply to a swap dealer or major swap participant that is a party to a foreign exchange forward or foreign exchange swap.
- (3) For purposes of section 1a(47)(E) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(47)(E)) and this section, the term foreign exchange forward has the meaning set forth in section 1a(24) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(24)).
- (4) For purposes of section 1a(47)(E) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(47)(E)) and this section, the term *foreign exchange swap* has the meaning set forth in section 1a(25) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(25)).
- (5) For purposes of sections 1a(24) and 1a(25) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1a(24) and (25)) and this section, the following transactions are not foreign exchange forwards or foreign exchange swaps:
- (i) A currency swap or a cross-currency swap;
- (ii) A currency option, foreign currency option, foreign exchange option, or foreign exchange rate option; and
- (iii) A non-deliverable forward involving foreign exchange.

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§ 240.3a69-3 Books and records requirements for security-based swap agreements.

(a) A person registered as a swap data repository under section 21 of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 24a) and the rules and regulations thereunder:

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- (1) Shall not be required to keep and maintain additional books and records regarding security-based swap agreements other than the books and records regarding swaps required to be kept and maintained pursuant to section 21 of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 24a) and the rules and regulations thereunder; and
- (2) Shall not be required to collect and maintain additional data regarding security-based swap agreements other than the data regarding swaps required to be collected and maintained by such persons pursuant to section 21 of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 24a) and the rules and regulations thereunder.
- (b) A person shall not be required to keep and maintain additional books and records, including daily trading records, regarding security-based swap agreements other than the books and records regarding swaps required to be kept and maintained by such persons pursuant to section 4s of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 6s) and the rules and regulations thereunder if such person is registered as:
- (1) A swap dealer under section 4s(a)(1) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 6s(a)(1)) and the rules and regulations thereunder;
- (2) A major swap participant under section 4s(a)(2) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 6s(a)(2)) and the rules and regulations thereunder;
- (3) A security-based swap dealer under section 15F(a)(1) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o-10(a)(1)) and the rules and regulations thereunder; or
- (4) A major security-based swap participant under section 15F(a)(2) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780-10(a)(2)) and the rules and regulations thereunder.
- (c) The term *security-based swap agreement* has the meaning set forth in section 3(a)(78) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(78)).

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§ 240.3a71-1 Definition of "securitybased swap dealer."

- (a) General. The term security-based swap dealer in general means any person who:
- (1) Holds itself out as a dealer in security-based swaps;

- (2) Makes a market in security-based swaps;
- (3) Regularly enters into securitybased swaps with counterparties as an ordinary course of business for its own account: or
- (4) Engages in any activity causing it to be commonly known in the trade as a dealer or market maker in securitybased swaps.
- (b) Exception. The term security-based swap dealer does not include a person that enters into security-based swaps for such person's own account, either individually or in a fiduciary capacity, but not as a part of regular business.
- (c) Scope of designation. A person that is a security-based swap dealer in general shall be deemed to be a security-based swap dealer with respect to each security-based swap it enters into, regardless of the type, class, or category of the security-based swap or the person's activities in connection with the security-based swap, unless the Commission limits the person's designation as a security-based swap dealer to specified types, classes, or categories of security-based swaps or specified activities of the person in connection with security-based swaps.
- (d) Inter-affiliate activities—(1) General. In determining whether a person is a security-based swap dealer, that person's security-based swaps with majority-owned affiliates shall not be considered.
- (2) Meaning of majority-owned. For these purposes the counterparties to a security-based swap are majorityowned affiliates if one counterparty directly or indirectly owns a majority interest in the other, or if a third party directly or indirectly owns a majority interest in both counterparties to the security-based swap, where "majority interest" is the right to vote or direct the vote of a majority of a class of voting securities of an entity, the power to sell or direct the sale of a majority of a class of voting securities of an entity, or the right to receive upon dissolution or the contribution of a majority of the capital of a partnership.

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$\S 240.3a71-2$ De minimis exception.

(a) Requirements. For purposes of section 3(a)(71) of the Act (15 U.S.C.